

**NORTH ORANGE COUNTY COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT
GOVERNING BOARD MEMBER
TRUSTEE AREA 1**

LEONARD L. LAHTINEN

OCCUPATION: Trustee, North Orange County Community College District

Cypress College, Fullerton College and NOCCCD's School of Continuing Education provide vital educational and vocational programs. They serve students of all ages preparing for careers or for transfer to four year universities. Many others enroll just to learn more. Members of the Board of Trustees should be qualified and committed to establish policies that meet these student needs.

Education is my calling. I am a retired high school teacher with a Master's Degree in Education and an experienced, dedicated, knowledgeable, conscientious Governing Board member.

District employees thank me for taking my responsibilities as a Trustee seriously. I am proud of our great new Anaheim Campus. A Board member publicly praised my efforts promoting the move to this strategically located site.

Voters expressed confidence in this District two years ago by passing the bond measure which authorized upgrading our facilities. We are prudently appropriating those funds for campus projects. District finances are sound. Budgets are balanced. There is no general fund deficit.

Our family has lived in North Orange County for over 40 years. My wife and our two sons are NOCCCD graduates.

I have appreciated the opportunity to serve you and respectfully ask for your vote.

Thank you. Leonard Lahtinen